

This is INSIDE SMITH, presenting 15 minutes of campus news and weekend events, INSIDE SMITH is presented every Monday, Wednesday and Friday at 7:15 PM.

This weekend, WCSR is playing host to delegates from 25 colleges at the first Eastern College Radio conference. This conference is to offer an opportunity for discussion of the problems of college radio and its place on the campus. The speakers and discussion leaders will include professional radio workers from Boston and New York City. The program will include an open house at the station, discussion groups, lectures and a banquet at Wiggins on Saturday night.

Tonight and tomorrow night at 8 PM are the last showings of the theatre department's production of "The Scapegoat". This play is being presented in cooperation with INTERNATIONAL THEATRE WEEK being sponsored by UNESCO. The play is adopted from "The Trial" by Franz Kafka and is a terrifying play of life in a police state. As a play, "The Scapegoat" has some very effective moments, notably the trial scene at the end of act I which is excellently staged. The sets are outstanding. A minimum of actual props are used and the imagination of the audience is relied upon. The play is well directed by Mr Ted Kazanoff, instructor in the Theater Department.

Smith has again distinguished itself in a transatlantic quiz program, this time with the University of Bangor in Wales. Smith won with a score of 26 out of 30 points, while the University of Bangor had only 21 points. Smith's opponent had had a perfect score until this contest. The "INTERNATIONAL QUIZ CONTESTS" are under the joint sponsorship of WCOP, in Boston and the British Broadcasting Company, and the programs present teams from outstanding New England Colleges.





and British Colleges and Universities. The Smith representatives who participated in the contest this week also contested with The University of Liverpool. The girls are Marion Bernstein, and Laurie Worcester of the Junior Class and Lee Hilles and Rosemond Stevenson of the Senior Class. The contest of two weeks ago will be broadcast over WCOP on April 2 at nine thirty, and this weeks contest will be broadcast April 23 at the same time.

One of the major events of this weekend will be Sophomore Prom. At eight thirty the prom will be presented in a casino atmosphere of roulette wheels and poker chips. Al Bond and his orchestra from Boston will provide music for the dance, which will be formal.

All houses are reminded that Sunday, April 8th is the new date, set aside by Recreational Council, for the House Octet Concert at Davis. Houses that wish to compete with two or three well arranged numbers should tell their social chairman or call Tex Schwartz in Comstock House.

For those who are extremely interested in octet singing, the "Smithereens" will hold tryouts this coming Monday and Tuesday, from seven to nine thirty p.m. in the third floor piano room at Davis. Any freshman, sophomore or junior is eligible. For further information call Bobbie Horn, 296.

Glee Club house representatives will be selling tickets for the SMITH WILLIAMS TOWN HALL CONCERT until Monday, March 20th. Students may buy tickets for themselves, their families, and friends now, although tickets will not be available to the public until April





The Glee Club is working on the concert with a great deal of enthusiasm and the affair should be a sellout.

This Sunday at eight thirty, the second of the chamber recitals of the Smith faculty series will be presented. This recital will ~~be~~ be the long awaited oboe trio recital by Alvin Etler, oboist, Louise Rood, violinist, and Doris Silbert, Harpsichord. The music presented will be that of the seventeenth and eighteenth centuries, and is by Bach, Handel and Purcell. The three instruments will be combined in the performance of three trio sonatas, one by each of these composers. In addition, one of Bach's great sonatas for violin and harpsichord will be played by Miss Rood and Miss Silbert.

This Sunday afternoon Smith will hold its annual LENTEN VESPER SERVICE at four thirty. This service which is one of the oldest and most beautiful traditions of the college will consist of special choral music by the Bowdoin Ensemble and by the two Smith Freshmen Choirs. The Bowdoin group, directed by Professor Locke, is doing three motets in sixteenth century style and among the Smith selections will be a modern French composition "Prayer For Peace". The service will be held in John M Greene Hall and the doors will be opened to the public at four fifteen.

Two letters of George Sand, nineteenth century French novelist, and two letters of Rachel, famous French tragedienne, have been presented to the Smith College Library by Minna K Curtiss, author and former professor of English at Smith. All the letters are related to





the publications of these two women. These letters will be an addition to the SOPHIA SMITH COLLECTION of books and records, relating to the social and intellectual history of women.

The Smith College Museum of Art will continue its exhibition of English watercolors and drawings of the eighteenth and nineteenth centuries, through March 21st. The group of pictures was lent by the National Gallery of Canada, at Ottawa. This selection from the gallery's rich holdings is in a field not very well illustrated generally in American collections.

The April edition of the Princeton Tiger is to be written by the undergraduates of the ten major woman's colleges, and Smith of course has been invited to join in the fun. Needed for this edition of the magazine, which has circulation on the

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campuses of Yale, Harvard, Dartmouth, and Williams, as well as Princeton, are stories, poems, articles and cartoons. The prizes include a subscription to the Tiger, orange and black ties, carved wooden tigers, and the grand prize is a date for Spring House parties in the form of Jack Johnson, Editor of the Tiger, or the so-called equivalent of same, which is ten dollars. Take this opportunity to show the boys what you think of them, win grand prizes, uphold the name of Smith and enter the Tiger Contest today! For more information contact Anne Findlay Cushing 417. All entries must be in by March 20, so get to work now.

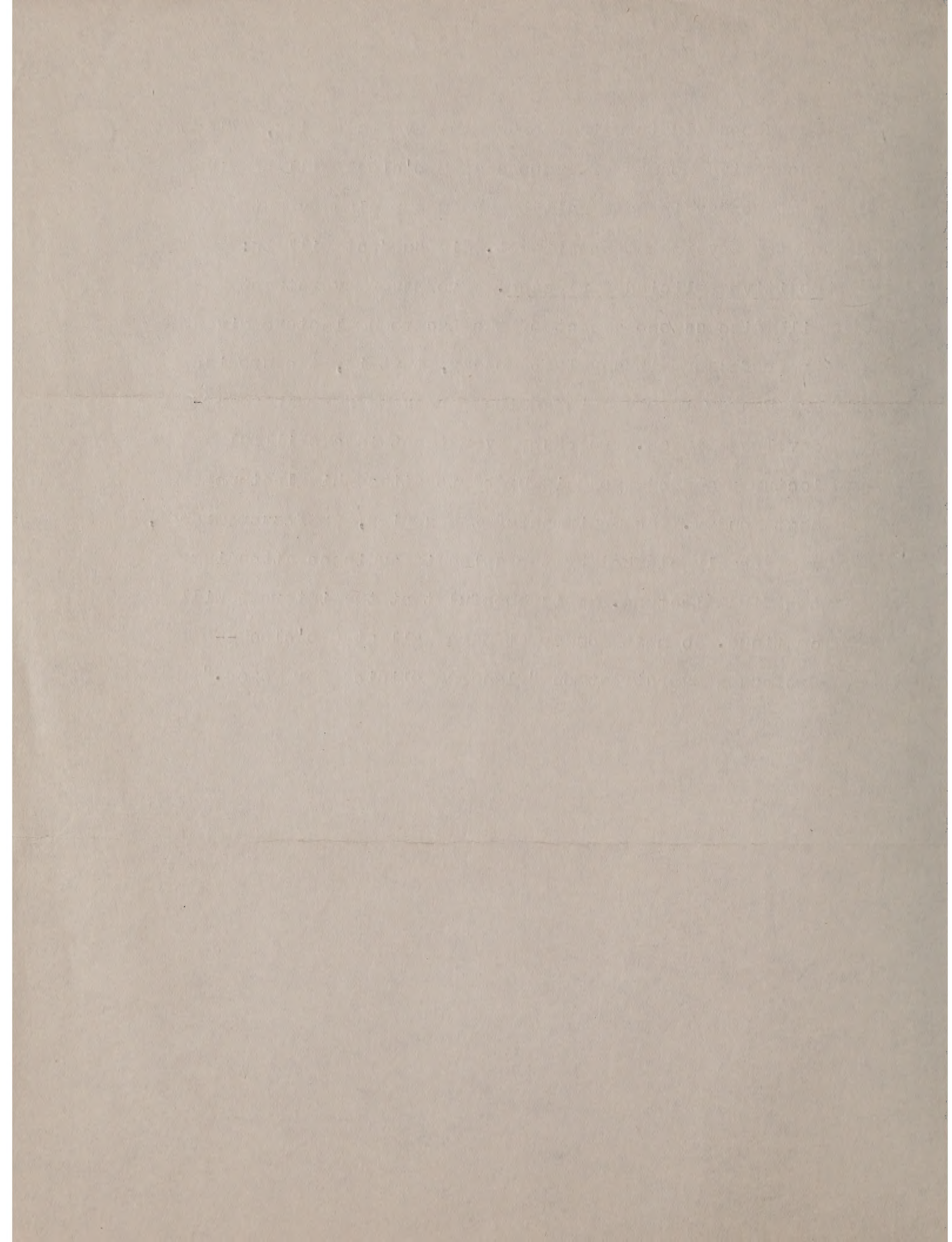
The following is a list of the names of the persons who have been admitted to the office of the Secretary of the Board of Education, since the last meeting of the Board, on the 1st of January, 1840.

The Board of Education has the honor to acknowledge the receipt of the following names of persons who have been admitted to the office of the Secretary of the Board, since the last meeting of the Board, on the 1st of January, 1840.



The second lecture in the Current Events series, held on successive Monday afternoons at 5 o'clock will be given next Monday in Sage Hall by Professor Alan Overstreet of the Government Department. His subject will be: Positive Policies for Peace. Professor Overstreet will discuss one aspect of the background lecture given by Professor Mittrany last Monday, that is, the promise and danger involved in various programs for the underdeveloped areas. Professor Overstreet is a skillful lecturer and everyone is urged to attend his lecture next Monday. The Chairman of the series, Professor Graham, was greatly pleased by the splendid audience attending the first lecture. He is hopeful that the interest will continue. So next Monday at Sage Hall at 5 o'clock-- Professor Overstreet on "Planned Policies for Peace."







From out of Scott Gym these fine winter evenings come tuneful and hilarious complaints about the unhappy life of policeman, the unfortunate wage scale of pirates, and the sorrows of him who is born on Feb. 29. All this is in preparation for the faculty show, "The Pirates of Penzance" to be given April 25 in John M. Greene Hall for the benefit of the Faculty Club.

Fifty members of the faculty, administration and maintenance and administrative staffs, the cream of the crop of campus voices from booming baritone to sweet soprano, are being recruited to fill the pirate bands and the chorus of daughters of "the model Major General". In charge of the plans for the show is Miss Charlotte Fitch of the department of Speech.

Each year the Smith faculty puts on a program to raise money for the Faculty Club, and in past years Gilbert and Sullivan has proved to entertain more people more thoroughly than almost any other type of faculty show. In 1948 "Pinafore" was presented with President Herbert Davis as one of the leads. It was an outstanding success as a dollar catcher and as solid entertainment for both audience and cast.

The first Fathers' Day to be held at Smith College is scheduled for Saturday, May 5th. The day is arranged primarily for Fathers of the Sophomore and Junior class members. Invitations from the College will go out to the fathers during Spring vacation, and daughters are asked to follow this with a personal invitation while they are at home. Plans for the day include attending classes in the morning, an assembly in John M Greene with a special welcome program, outdoor sports, and a life guard show in the afternoon,





followed by a reception at the President's house. In the evening there will be a dance at Davis Student Center, and Smith singing groups will entertain. The day is planned to give Smith fathers a special occasion to visit Smith and an opportunity to see the college in action at a time of the year when the campus is particularly lovely.

Announcement has been made of six new "Smiffenpoofs" taken in last Tuesday. The new members are; Eleanor Massie, first soprano, Ann Stolk, second soprano, Natalie Austin and Nina Heald, first altos, and Jean Clark and Connie Bergfors, second altos.

The Christian Association has instituted a new method of arranging services in Little Chapel. Each night, one College House is responsible for seeing that the service is run according to plan. The new plan is expected to include more individual students and increase the participation in Little Chapel Services.

The Student Council has decided that all Spring House Dances must be on either April 7th or May 12th. The reason for the limited choice is the schedule for Class Proms, Float Night, and Fathers Day. By having the dances on one of these two weekends, it is hoped that competition will be avoided.

Curriculum Committee has recently announced the appointment of Ann Murphy as Freshman representative in their Central Committee. She will serve in that capacity for the remainder of the semester, and will continue as one of the three Sophomore representatives

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next year. Additional representatives from next year's Sophomore class will be chosen after the election of the new chairman of Curriculum Committee.

Mrs. Ruth Wedgwood Kennedy, lecturer in art, has been awarded a research grant by the American Philosophical Society of Philadelphia, to prepare a book on Titian in Rome,

Mrs Kennedy , who is a specialist in Italian Renaissance painting, is the author of "The Renaissance Painter's Garden" and "Alesso Baldovinetti" and has been working ~~for more~~ than three years on a study of Titian.

The grant from the American Philosophical Society, known as "a society for the promotion of useful knowledge", will make it possible for Mrs Kennedy to go to Madrid, Rome and Venice this summer to continue her study, and she will also work on the book during a leave of absence, the second semester of the next academic year.

Smith, which was the only women's college represented in the Brooklyn College Individual Debate Tournament, emerged from it with a record of seven wins in ten debates. Only four colleges compiled a better record.

This has been INSIDE SMITH bringing you the latest college news.

